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Jeff S. Jordan, Esq. Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, NW Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 5879

Dear Mr. Jordan:

Our firm is counsel to the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee and John Lapp, as Treasurer (collectively, "Respondents"). A Designation of Counsel form to that effect is attached. We write to seek an extension of time in which to respond to the complaint in the above-referenced MUR.

Respondents received the complaint on November 17, 2006, and they understand that their response would normally be due on December 4, 2006. However, Respondents require additional time to develop the information that would permit them to respond. Accordingly, Respondents respectfully request a 30-day extension, so that they are permitted to respond on or before Wednesday, January 3, 2007.

Please advise us as soon as possible regarding the requested extension. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Brian G. Svoboda Ezra W. Reese

Counsel to Respondents

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